

The Recruiter

Dedicated to the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation's recruitment efforts.

Peace Officer Recruitment Unit

Workshops and on-site testing launched in January

January is a time for new beginnings and new resolutions. For more than 20 percent of employees in the workforce, one of those resolutions will be to find a new job, according to a recent survey by Careerbuilder.com. And, the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR) is doing its part to help people keep their resolution.

Local Workshops

In January, the Peace Officer Recruitment Unit (PORU) started partnering with Institution Recruitment Teams to host employment workshops across the state.

All workshops include a 35-minute powerpoint presentation about peace officer opportunities with CDCR and a question and answer session with recruiters and institution staff.

They also include the opportunity to complete an application, take the written

A	Peace Officer Workshops		
M	INSTITUTIONS	DATES	
	Ironwood State Prison*/ Chuckawalla Valley State Prison	Jan. 11	
	Calipatria State Prison*/ Centinela State Prison	Jan. 18	
	CSP-San Quentin*	Jan. 22	
	CSP-Sacramento*/ Folsom State Prison	Jan. 23	
	CSP- Los Angeles County*	Jan. 24	
	*Indicates location of workshop. More workshops ar	e being scheduled.	

exam, and tour the institution.

Ironwood State Prison and Chuckawalla Valley State Prison sponsored the first workshop on January 11. More than 100 candidates attended the workshop, and were personally greeted by the Wardens from both institutions.

Four more workshops are scheduled this month (see chart above).

"It's a great opportunity to offer potential candidates a tour of our facilities and to offer local testing," said Suzanne Chan, PORU Chief of Advertising and Marketing, "especially for those candidates who live far from our centralized testing centers."

More Workshops Planned

The PORU is contacting other institutions to schedule similar workshops.

For more information, please call Jerilyn Santillan, PORU Chief of Recruitment Events, at (916) 227-5732.

Successful Hires In November

The teamwork between the institutions and the Field Recruitment Units has impressive results for the November 2006 new employment hires. Let's keep up the fantastic work!

DENTAL	CLASSIFICATION Dental Assistant Chief Dentist Dentist	HIRES 16 1 4
MENTAL	Clinical Psychologist Psychiatric Technician Clinical Social Worker Pharmacist I Pharmacist II Pharmacy Technician Senior Psychologist (Supervisor)	7 1 4 2 1 2
MEDICAL	Registered Nurse Nurse Practitioner Physician Assistant Supervising Registered Nurse	44 2 1 5
TEACHERS	Elementary High School GE High School PE	8 12 1
VOCATIONS	Vocational Instructor Painting Vocational Instructor Auto Mech Vocational Instructor O S&RT	2 1 1
OTHER	Supervisor ACP Library Technician	2

Introducing...

The Licensed Vocational Nurse Classification

If you are looking for a career that can make a difference, or know someone who is a Licensed Vocational Nurse (LVN) or going to school to become an LVN the CDCR's Correctional LVN classification could be the answer.

As a Correctional LVN you will assist in the medical and/or mental health care of patients in one of California's State Prisons. Our staff is dedicated to putting into action our new vision for better ways to heal and cure.

An LVN position will allow you direct patient care, low patient to nursing ration, and a safe working environment in addition to multiple employee benefits.

The Office of Workforce Planning (OWP) has completed the revisions to the recruitment brochure for the LVN classification. The details of the benefits offered can be found in our new recruitment material. The information provided is intended to introduce health care professionals to the many opportunities CDCR has to offer. The exam for LVN can be completed (91)



by visiting https://forms.spb.ca.gov/lvn/. You can email our Recruiters at careers@cdcr.ca.gov or call 1-888-232-4584 toll free for additional information. Brochures are available by calling the OWP at (916) 322-2545.

TEACHER RECRUITMENT WORKSHOPS BRING IN THE CANDIDATES

For the period of Oct. 28, 2006 through Dec. 9, 2006, the Office of Workforce Planning (OWP), Education Recruitment Unit conducted 5 Hiring workshops (see chart).

Attendance at these workshops totaled over 250 potential candidates. Each of these workshops was successful and yielded the Department many new candidates to fill current vacancies.

The OWP, Education Recruitment Unit would like to extend a huge "thank you" to each institution and their awesome staff who participated and made these workshops a successful event.

The OWP is in the process of developing a schedule to conduct future workshops for 2007. If you are interested in having a workshop in your area please contact the OWP at (916) 322-2545.

RECENT EMPLOYMENT WORKSHOPS

INSTITUTIONS	DATES
Richard J. Donovan Correctional Facility	October 28, 2006
Centinela and Calipatria State Prison	November 4, 2006
San Quentin	November 9, 2006
Los Angeles County State Prison	December 2, 2006
Avenal State Prison, Corcoran State Prison, Substance Abuse Treatment State Facility, and California Men's Colony State Prison	December 9, 2006

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